

House Resolution No. 227

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Isadore Rainey of Kennett, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninety-ninth Birthday with a special celebration on January 27, 2008, at Victory Temple Church of God in Christ; and

Whereas, on January 30, 1909, in Zimvell, Mississippi, God brought the last of thirteen special gifts to Berry and Mary Gorden with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Isadore, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Isadore Rainey will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such being named Mother of the Year 2006; and

Whereas, a licensed missionary in the Church of God in Christ for seventy-two years, Isadore Rainey is a valuable member of the Finance Board of the Jurisdiction, the Victory Temple Trustee Board, the Department of Women Southeast Missouri Third Jurisdiction, and the Church of God in Christ; and

Whereas, Isadore Rainey has also enjoyed recognition by serving as the Church Mother for Victory Temple Church of God in Christ for more than ten years; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 99, Isadore Rainey is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Isadore Rainey at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Isadore Rainey, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Tom Todd
District No. 163

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 227, adopted January 24, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker